

**Movie Day for Area Children**

Children of the members of EPOE 1948 have been invited to attend a movie day at the Lodge hall Saturday at 9:30 a.m. "Kon Tiki," a documentary adventure film based on Thor Hyerdahl's raft voyage across the Pacific Ocean, will be shown along with a Walt Disney cartoon.

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**Gale Brown Buried; Killer Still Sought**

Mr. and Mrs. William Brown buried their 11-year-old daughter Monday while police were rechecking possible leads in the kidnap-murder case.

The Rev. Mr. Ted Hicks, a Baptist minister, conducted the services at Stone and Myers Chapel. He described Gale's killer as a hateful and evil person and said, "vengeance cries out for his capture."

More than 100 friends, relatives, and classmates of the blonde-haired girl attended

the morning services. Flowers covered the casket, which remained open throughout the services.

DETECTIVES circulated among the mourners, hoping that some curiosity would impel the slayer to attend.

Police continued to check and recheck every possible clue, but said that clothing and a small expansion ring found this week were not Dorothy Gale's.

Torrance police chief Percy G. Bennett said the police "are painstakingly separating facts from fiction. We are re-investigating each of the innumerable angles to this case."

POLICE ARE still holding to the theory that the kidnaper was someone the girl knew well enough to accompany without protest.

Bennett emphasized that public cooperation has been

**Local Masons To Receive Grand Master**

A dinner honoring Guy B. Mize, grand master of Masons in California, will be held at the Lomita Masonic Temple, 25725 Bland Place, Lomita, on Wednesday evening, July 18, beginning at 7, it was announced here yesterday.

Wednesday's visit of the leader of all California Masons, sponsored by the 620th and 621st Masonic District, will be the first in the area since Mize assumed the fraternity's top post last year. He previously visited the area as deputy grand master and presided over cornerstone ceremonies at West High School last year. Seating will be limited for the dinner, officials of the sponsoring lodges have reported. Reservations may be made by contacting the master of any of the eight lodges in the two districts: Torrance, Lomita, Rolling Hills, A. F. E. Irwin, Wilmington, San Pedro, Point Fermin, or Catalina.

valuable and Capt. Howard Stahl added that alibis of all "good suspects" were being rechecked.

CLOTHING found stuffed in beer cans last week has provided no clues, and no fingerprints were found on the cans.

In addition to her parents, Dorothy Gales is survived by her paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. David Brown of Farmersville, Calif.; and her maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. George S. Fults, of Paris, Tex.

**Dance Band Featured In Program**

The second program in the Torrance Recreation Department series "Music for a Summer Sunday" is slated for this Sunday at the Torrance Park bandshell.

The program will feature the Stars Swing Unit, under the direction of Jim Davidson.

The Stars Swing Unit is a dance band sponsored by the Recreation Department. Earlier this year the four teen-agers participated in the Battle of the Bands Contest, sponsored by the Los Angeles County Parks and Recreation Department.

Special features of the new show include a Dixieland group and the Star's vocalist, Donnell Cook.

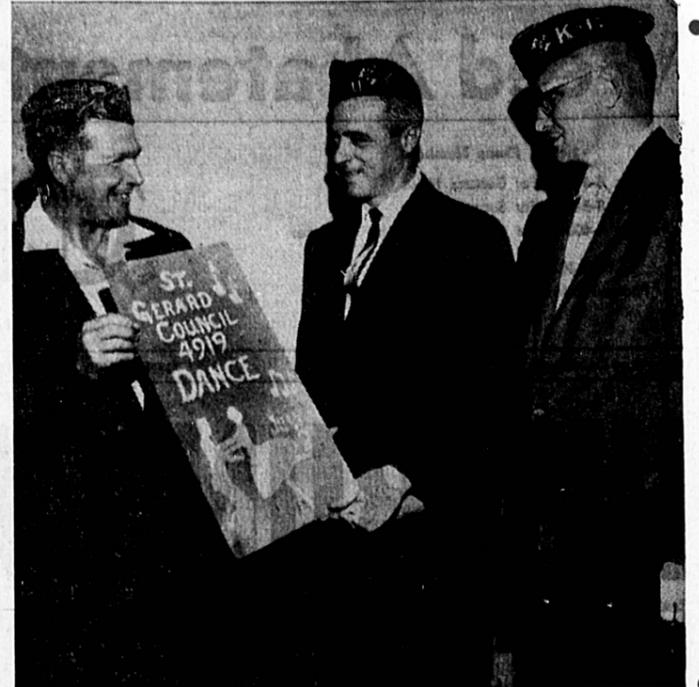
There is no admission charge to the show which begins at 2 p.m. in the bandshell.

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"SUMMER FUN" . . . Saturday, July 21, is the night, says Charles Butterfield, left, as he calls attention to the St. Gerard Council, Torrance Knights of Clumbus, dance at the Retail Clerks Hall, 2594 Belleport Ave., Harbor City. Working on the event are Harold Pope, center, assistant dance chairman, and Gil Johnson, dance committeeman. Theme is "summer fun." Proceeds from the dance will go towards the organization's charitable activities. The dance is open to the public. (Herald Photo)

**Beard Promoters Defy Council Ban on Weeds**

The city struck out at the unbridled growth of weeds Tuesday night, but the action apparently hasn't deterred the promoters of a bread-growing contest to be held in connection with Rancho Days next month.

Cyclist Dies In Accident, Driver Cited

A 28-year-old Torrance resident was booked at the county jail on investigation of manslaughter after his station wagon collided head-on with a motorcycle Saturday at midnight in Lomita.

Taken into custody after the fatal accident was Jesse Gilliland, of 17318 Arlington Ave. Highway patrolmen said his station wagon collided on Normandie Avenue north of Lomita Boulevard with a motorcycle driven by Ellis Wood, 25, of Long Beach.

Wood was pronounced dead at Harbor General Hospital. Patrolmen said Gilliland's station wagon, southbound, crossed into opposing traffic.

Five persons had entered the stubble contest by Wednesday afternoon.

Entered so far are Clyde Fryar, building maintenance superintendent for the city; Silvano Reyes, a self-employed gardener; Earl C. Parker, a newspaper reporter; William C. Laird, a bus driver for the Torrance Municipal Bus Lines, and Gale L. Tickett, an employee of a sand and gravel firm.

Deadline for entering is 5 p.m. Friday. Contestants must report clean shaven to the Torrance Chamber of Commerce office at 2204 Torrance Blvd. to submit their names.

PARKER AND Tickett are Redondo Beach residents while the other three are residents of Torrance.

Judging will be Saturday, Aug. 5, at 7 p.m. on the carnival grounds on the east side of the Del Amo Shopping Center.

Winner will receive a cash award.

The Rancho Days celebration is scheduled for Aug. 1 through 5 and will include a carnival, parade, and rodeo. A queen will also be named for the five-day event.

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...Debate

LYMAN POINTED to the large sums needed to mount an election campaign for city office, stating that a candidate must spend \$5,000 to win an election.

"This means that this ruling clique can control the actions of the Council because councilmen must have this group's financial backing to win," he charged.

LYMAN CALLED for studies of cities such as Redondo Beach, Pasadena, Long Beach, and Los Angeles which elect councilmen from geographic districts.

He said Torrance presently had a "horse and buggy type system of representation controlled by people who are still in the horse and buggy era."

CONTACTED by the HERALD yesterday afternoon, Mayor Isen said he had not seen Lyman's letter, but labeled the challenge "very premature."

"I feel that the responsible people of Torrance do not want to split their city and have a political spoils system through the establishments of wards," he said. "I do not believe they will sign the petition."

Isen said he believed that until the time a valid initiative petition had been submitted to the City Council, the issue was "merely one to exploit one-, two-, and three-time losers for Council seats, and pushed by opportunists seeking exposure."

**Obituaries**

**LILLIAN OSBORNE**

Funeral services for Lillian Osborne, 41, of 3320 W. 187th St., will be conducted today at the Halverson-Leavell Chapel. The Rev. Mr. Robert Dehn, pastor of the First Baptist Church, will officiate.

Mrs. Osborne died at a local hospital Monday. She had lived in Torrance for three years, coming here from her native Massachusetts.

Survivors includes the widower, Charles, of the home; her parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Resnick; a sister, Rita Swartz; and a brother, Norman, all of Massachusetts; and a brother, William, of Ohio.

Private cremation services will follow at Pacific Crest Crematory.

**OGLESBY JOHNSON**

Funeral services for Oglesby Johnson, 72, of 1616 W. 222nd St., were conducted in Thayer, Mo., July 5.

Mr. Johnson was a retired railroad worker and a veteran of World War I. He died July 1 at a Long Beach hospital.

Survivors include his widow, Dora, and eight stepchildren. Also surviving are two sisters and a brother.

Interment was in the Thayer Cemetery.

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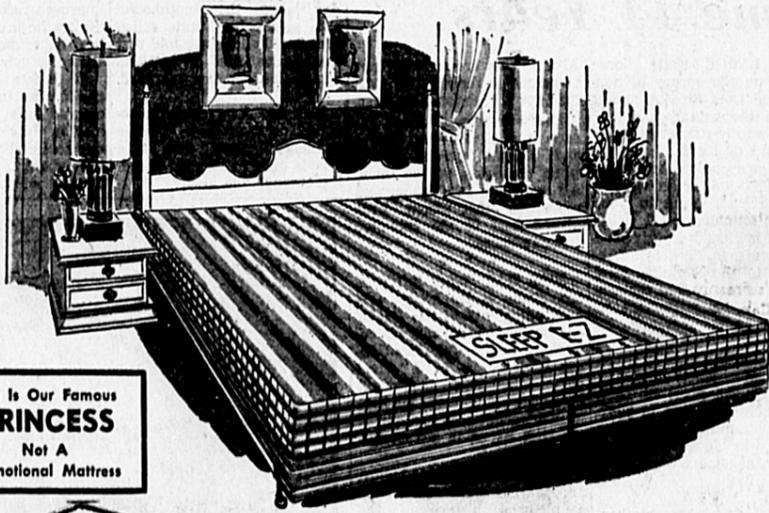
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